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For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Coffee County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held next August. I will be grateful to the voters, both ladies and men, for your vote and support, and if elected, will discharge the office to the best of my ability.

D. J. STEPHENS.
(Paid political advertisement of D. J. Stephens, New Brockton, Ala.)

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held in August. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

J. D. PARKER.
(Paid political advertisement of J. D. Parker, Elba, Ala.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August.

E. D. GODWIN.

(Paid political advertisement of E. D. Godwin, Enterprise, Ala.)

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

W. H. (Dutch) WATKINS.
(Paid political advertisement of W. H. Watkins, Enterprise, Ala., Route 4.)

For Probate Judge

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge of Coffee County, subject to the action of the coming Democratic primary in August. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

W. A. McILVERAY.

(Paid political advertisement of W. A. McIlveray, Enterprise, Ala.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

JOHN D. STEWART.

(Paid political advertisement of John D. Stewart, Enterprise, Ala.)

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Probate Judge of Coffee County, subject to the Democratic primary in August. Your support will be highly appreciated.

W. A. McILVERAY.

(Paid political advertisement of W. A. McIlveray, Enterprise, Ala.)

For Circuit Clerk

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

L. L. CLARK.

(Paid political advertisement of L. L. Clark, Enterprise, Ala.)

For Circuit Judge

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as Clerk of the Circuit Court of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August. Your support will be appreciated.

S. H. BROCK.

(Paid political advertisement of S. H. Brock, Elba, Ala.)

For Congressman

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative in the 68th Congress of the United States from the Third Congressional District of Alabama subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8th, 1922.

HENRY B. STAGGILL.

(Paid political advertisement of H. B. Staggill, Enterprise, Ala.)

For Solicitor

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Solicitor of the 12th Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8th, 1922.

C. W. SIMMONS.

(Paid political advertisement of C. W. Simmons, Enterprise, Ala.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the 12th Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held next August. I will be grateful to the voters, both ladies and men, for your vote and support, and if elected, will discharge the office to the best of my ability.

D. J. STEPHENS.

(Paid political advertisement of D. J. Stephens, New Brockton, Ala.)

Penn's spells quality.

Why?

Because Penn's is packed air-tight in the patented metal container—the quality is sealed in.

So Penn's is always fresh. Have you ever really chewed fresh tobacco?

Buy Penn's the next time. Try it. Notice the condition—fresh—Penn's.

—Troy Messenger.

FOUR KILLED WHEN BOILER EXPLODES ABOARD FERRYBOAT

Port Huron, Mich., Mar. 26.—Four men were killed and property damage estimated at \$100,000 was caused by a boiler explosion on board the ferry boat Omar D. Conner, this afternoon. The explosion shook the entire down town district. The boiler was thrown 250 feet into the air.

The dead are: Ransom A. Campbell, chief engineer of the ferryboat; Tom Buckner and Kenneth Crandall, deckhands, and Clifford Althouse, fireman. The dead men were at work on the ferry.

No one else was on board the boat at the time of the explosion.

Six persons were injured, but none seriously.

The dwelling into which the boiler was thrown caught fire and was burned to the ground. The occupants of the house, William Smith and family, were attending a movie at the time.

A steam radiator was thrown 1,000 feet into the air.

Fault, where a funeral was in progress. Mourners were injured by the splinters. Glass was broken in streets fronts two blocks away.

The explosion was due to a scarcity of water in the boiler, it is believed. The boat was tied to the dock in Black river.

WANTED—Man with car to sell the best Ford Oil Guage made.

\$100 per week and extra commissions. Accessories Co., 19 Graham, Benton Harbor, Mich.

WHITE MINER NEAR BESSEMER IS GIVEN SEVERE FLOGGING

Birmingham, Ala., March 26.—Paul Massey, a white miner employed at Reader's mines, near Bessemer, was taken from his home tonight by a party of masked men, carried to a secluded spot about a mile away, and severely whipped.

According to the statement of Massey, as quoted by officers, he was at home with his two children when an automobile containing five men drove up to his door. One of the men saying he wished to speak to Mr. Massey. When Massey approached the automobile, he was seized and thrown in the back seat where he was blindfolded and handcuffed, according to his statement.

He said that as the automobile drove off it was joined by another car, also full of men. He was taken about a mile below his home, where he stated, he was stripped, tied to a tree and severely whipped with a leather throng.

After being released, Massey made his way home and notified W. T. Kemp, chief deputy at Bessemer, who with Deputy W. H. Harrison, went to the scene and made an investigation.

According to the officers, Massey stated that he had no idea why he was whipped other than that he and his wife separated recently.

WANTED—Salesman with car to call on dealers with a low priced 6,000 mile fabric and 10,000 mile cord tire. \$100.00 a week with extra commissions.

UNIVERSAL TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY, Michigan City, Indiana.

ALABAMA POWER CO.

Organized to Develop the Water Power of This State

Now Building Mitchell Dam

An outlay of \$8,000,000 to be made in Alabama, employing 1,000 men, and the first power plant to be built in Alabama. When completed it will generate 100,000 kilowatts of electricity, and will be the largest of its kind in the South.

For further details concerning this stock offering

\$93.00 per share, cash, or on monthly payments of \$5.00.

For further details concerning this stock offering

Investment Department ALABAMA POWER CO. BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

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LEAVES TROY 8:00 A. M., 5:00 P. M.

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Latest model Touring cars, Runabouts, Sedans, Coupes, Trucks and Fordson Tractors.

Immediate Delivery.

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Elba, Ala.

GOOD WILL

No business could exist for very long were it not for the good will of its customers.

In a similar way no bank could progress were it not for the new depositors who come through the recommendation of older patrons.

A large share of our growth is directly due to our depositors and we are constantly striving to deserve the good words kind friends say about us.

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L. A. BOYD, President H. C. JOHNSON, Active Vice-Pres.

S. N. ROWE, Vice-President. O. A. ELLIS, Cashier.

STORY OF AWFUL SEA TRAGEDY AT MIAMI IS TOLD BY THE PILOT

Miami, Fla., March 25.—The five passengers of the flying boat Miss Miami which left here Wednesday for the island of Bimini, and was forced down in the open sea by a broken propeller, were lost, according to the story of Robert Moore, pilot of the craft, who he was rescued last night clinging to the wreckage by the Steamer William Greene.

Two of the women died of exposure, one woman and one man, crazed by exhaustion, jumped into the sea and the others man fell off the craft, into the water from sheer exhaustion.

The passengers were Mrs. J. S. Dickson of Memphis, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Smith, and Mr. August Bulte, all of Kansas City.

Miami, Fla., March 25.—That a broken propeller compelled the flying boat Miss Miami downed in the sea where she kept afloat 48 hours before being rescued, the state ment made to rescuers on the steamship William Greene by Robert Moore, pilot of the ill-fated machine before he became delirious.

The William Greene, bound from Bayonne, N. J., to Tampico, picked up the wrecked plane and its one survivor 130 miles north of this port, and 41 miles from the east coast of the Indian river inlet. Sub-chaser 154 arrived in port this morning at 10 o'clock after having transferred the delirious pilot from the William Greene. He was rushed to a hospital where it is feared the exposure

will result in his death.

According to the disconnected story which the exhausted and delirious pilot told during intervals when he was rational, the two women died in his arms from exhaustion. Two of the passengers became panic stricken and jumped overboard to their death.

Slips Quietly Into Waters

The surviving male passenger finally slipped quietly into the watery grave Friday morning, as a result of sheer exhaustion, he said. The pilot before he lapsed into a semi-conscious condition is to the effect that shortly after the Miss Miami left this port last Wednesday morning a broken propeller forced her down and she rode the waves in safety drifting northward in the gulf stream.

Nothing happened until Thursday morning when the hull of the flyer began to leak as a result of hitting against something, he continued. Men and women passengers took turns using the pumps until all became exhausted and one of the women on Thursday night, who Pilot Moore could not say jumped overboard. A man whom he thought was her husband leaped after her and both disappeared never to be seen again. The fate of the man and woman depressed the other two women and they fainted away but were supported by Moore for seven and a half hours.

After seven and a half hours the two women died in the arms of the pilot and he gently dropped their

bodies into the water which had now claimed four passengers.

This left Pilot Moore and August Bulte, vice-president of the Laramie Flour Mills Corporation of Kansas City who took turns manning the pump in an effort to keep the flying boat afloat.

They kept this up until Friday morning when they could no longer man the pumps. About this time a huge wave came along and overturned the flyer. Bulte and Moore scrambled over the side of the boat and Moore fastened a rope around himself to support him in case he became unconscious. Standing on his feet he waved a white handkerchief, keeping this up all day long.

Prays and Donates Money

After praying for help, Bulte, realizing his condition, and that death was not far away, took a roll of money containing \$2,000 from his pocket and handed it to Moore saying: "You are a younger man and may be able to come through this but I cannot hold out any longer." Then he, too, dropped to his grave beneath the raging waves of the Atlantic.

Nine Boats Pass Her By

According to the story of Moore, nine boats passed Miss Miami after she was downed, so closely that he could read their names but they did not see the wrecked craft. He said that on Wednesday and Friday he saw planes flying overhead, but saw none on Thursday.

Mrs. J. Stewart Williams, wife of the consulting engineer in the employ of the Pan American Petroleum company, was aboard the tanker and took charge of the stricken pilot when he was rescued.

In his delirium Moore fancied she was his mother and kept repeating, "Mother you made me give up the automobile racing game, but don't let me plane away from me."

Believes Providence Directed Him

That Divine Providence had something to do with the rescue is the firm belief expressed by Captain William Wachsmuth of the tanker. "He said that something impelled him to go to a point off his regular route and that when he did this he lighted the wrecked seaplane with its sole survivor.

It was dusk when he came from his cabin for the last time. He was tight before going below and as he looked out over the waters he noticed an object. Using his field glasses, he saw that it was something waving. He turned his head toward the object and although a high sea was running he lowered a small boat. As the craft reached the side of the overturned flyer, Moore felt exhausted in their arms and was unconscious for some time.

POLMAR WILL BECOME NEW TROY POSTMASTER

Troy, March 25.—Emory Polmar is the new postmaster of Troy. Mr. Polmar was notified by telegram late Thursday afternoon of his appointment. The message came from Congressman John R. Tyson. It stated that the appointment had been made and that it would be confirmed in the Senate Friday.

Mr. Polmar is away on a business trip to the Polmar offices in Florence and could not be interviewed.

He is one of Troy's most progressive citizens and has been in public movements for many years. He possesses executive ability and will make an excellent postmaster. He is a son of Hon. W. B. Polmar and has been head of the Polmar insurance agencies here for several years.

Stephen H. Greene, the assistant postmaster, has been filling the place as postmaster for some months, this being the only vacancy in the local office. Mr. Greene will resume his place as assistant postmaster and the personnel under the civil service law will remain the same.

SAW MILL MAN CUT IN HALF

Dalton, Ga., March 24.—John Rogers was instantly killed at his saw mill here today, when he was sawed in half.

Rogers had rolled a log on the carriage of the mill, when another log rolled on him, throwing him on the carriage.

In falling, Rogers grasped the levers and started the machinery which could not be stopped in time to save his life.

FINAL NOTICE TO DELINQUENT DEBTORS OF THE ESTATE OF LEROY P. ROBERTS

You and each of you are hereby notified and requested to pay your debts to said estate to St. Clair Gibbs, Attorney for Administratrix, at May's & Whitman's Drug Store, Elba, Alabama, on Tuesday, April 10, 1922.

ALICE R. GIBBS, Adm.

CLOUD BURST ENGULFS KANSAS TOWNS; FOUR ARE DEAD

Burlington, Kans., March 24.—Four people are believed to be dead, as a result of a cloudburst which engulfed this city last night.

The damage from the deluge is estimated at one million dollars.

The main business section of the town was inundated to a depth of from five to twelve feet during the rest of the cloudburst.

One body, that of Miss Otha Sailing, has been found.

The heavy rain is hampering the flood relief work and no outside aid has reached town, because of the washed out roads.

The Neosho river is still rising.

MISTREATMENT IN SCHOOL CAUSES BOY TO SUICIDE

Jackson, Ga., March 24.—Funeral services are to be held at Milledgeville for Arthur Wall, 15 years of age, who, according to the authorities, died of heart failure in a field near his home here, because of alleged mistreatment at school.

On March 9th, the Heavenly Angels descended and took from us our dearly beloved little friend and relative, Ralph Wandell Walker, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Walker, age, two years. He was buried at Bethlehem March 10, 1922. Every thing that loving hands and kind physicians could do was done but still seemed sufficient for his spirit. He suffered untold pains with no complaint. He was seriously burned Jan. 31 and for nearly six weeks he suffered thus.

For sorrowing friends, and relatives, I know that there is a missing form in your home which can never be filled, but remember, our loss is Heaven's gain. It is God's work and He doeth all things well; and may Heaven comfort and heal the bereaved family.

This lovely bud so young and fair, Called home by early doom. Called to show how sweet flower In paradise would bloom. Oh, it will be said in his home Where they'll miss his loving face, And those sweet little footsteps As they went from place to place. He was such a precious jewel. That the Master saw his worth. And methinks He thought it best To call him from this earth. (Written in sympathy of the little boy, who died of heart failure, Ralph Walker, who is my friend and nephew.) Nellie Wilson, Troy, Ala.

RELEASE PRISONERS IN COOSA COUNTY CASE

Birmingham, Ala., Mar. 24.—Bonds of Miss Jewell Powell, young school teacher, and three other Coosa county residents charged with murder were fixed at \$1,000 each following a habeas corpus hearing before Judge Dan A. Green, in circuit court here late today. All furnished the required securities and were released.

Defendants in the case, besides Miss Powell, are Robert Tippet, Clarence Henley and Fred Henley. They are charged with murder in connection with the death of Dewell Barrett, young man of the Dallas section of Coosa county. The body of Barrett was found in a creek near Dollar several days after he had mysteriously disappeared.

Coosa county authorities worked on the case under the theory that Barrett's death might have been due to jealousy arising because of his attentions to Miss Powell. The four prisoners were brought to jail here March 11th.

Trial of the cases will be held in Coosa county.

R. L. CORBITT SERIOUSLY WOUNDED WHEN SHOT BY NEGRO HOB

Troy, Ala., March 24.—R. L. Corbitt of Montgomery, detective of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway was shot and probably fatally wounded here about ten o'clock Friday night by an unknown negro hobo whom he was attempting to arrest in the local yards of the railway.

Mr. Corbitt, in company with two local deputies, Philip Nichols and J. E. Furlow, were in the railway yards for the purpose of apprehending hoboes who are in the habit of riding freight trains. When southbound freight number 212 pulled in, two negroes were discovered on top of a box car. The officers ordered them down and Corbitt had them climb down. Mr. Furlow had the other. As Mr. Corbitt attempted to search the negro, the man pulled a pistol and shot him in the abdomen. Corbitt fell to the ground, and the shooting, the negro ran and was not apprehended, though one

postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty one years; it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Elba Clipper, a newspaper published in Elba, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said James McCraney to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 31st day of March, 1922, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against respondent.

Done at office in Elba, this the 28th day of February, 1922.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

State of Alabama, Cooffee County. In the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division.

Whereas, K. W. Harrison as plaintiff, in a suit in said Court against J. L. Ford, defendant, has obtained a writ of attachment out of said court on the 21st day of December, 1921, against said J. L. Ford, which writ has been executed by summoning M. E. Lindsey to appear at the next term of the Circuit Court of Coffee County at Enterprise, and answer on oath, whether he is indebted to the said J. L. Ford, or whether he is liable to him on a contract for the payment of money; and whereas it appears that he said J. L. Ford, defendant, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and resides in the State of Georgia, and that his post office address is Bainbridge, Georgia.

Now, therefore, said J. L. Ford is hereby notified of the pendency of said attachment and of the execution of said writ, and a copy of the newspaper containing this notice shall be sent by mail to said Defendant.

Witness my hand this 21st day of December, 1921.

S. H. BROCK, Clerk.

16-23-30.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

State of Alabama, Coffee County. In Circuit Court in Equity.

Pearl Russell McGowan, Complainant vs. James McCraney, Respondent.

In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit of Complainant that the Defendant is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his

You should LAY ASIDE A PART OF YOUR PROFITS!

DID YOU EVER HEAR OF A "SINKING FUND"? IT GOES BY VARIOUS NAMES, BUT THAT IS A GOOD ONE. IT MEANS A PART OF THE PROFITS SET ASIDE FOR A CERTAIN PURPOSE.

WHEN TIMES ARE GOOD OR JUST NORMAL, SET ASIDE EVERY MONTH A PART OF YOUR PROFITS, LETTING IT ACCUMULATE IN YOUR BANK. IT WILL DRAW INTEREST, AND SOME DAY, WHEN BUSINESS IS VERY BAD THAT SINKING FUND WILL COME IN HANDY.

The Elba Bank and Trust Company

Y. W. RAINER, President F. P. RAINER, Vice-President J. B. AMOS, Active Vice-President O. S. RAINER, Cashier

ELBA, ALABAMA.

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WE HAVE A LIMITED AMOUNT OF MONEY WE CAN LOAN ON IMPROVED FARM LANDS IF YOU NEED MONEY. COME TO SEE US AT ONCE, AND BRING ALL YOUR DEEDS.

OWEN & CARMICHAEL

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE ELBA, ALA.

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Special Offer

To Old Subscribers And Also New Ones

Beginning on next Saturday April 1st,
and for a limited time only we will
accept new and renewal subscriptions
to The Clipper at \$1.00 per year.

The subscription price of the paper is
still \$1.50 per year, and the above of-
fer of \$1.00 is only a special offer and
will last for just a short time. Take
advantage of this special offer and pay
up that back subscription. If you are
not already taking the paper send in
your dollar and let the paper start at
once.

The Elba Clipper

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

From the Chicago News.

"Pug noses and bull heads are half-way sure to turn up."

A mouse can make drops' roads run up quicker than a high tariff can.

Liquor affects a map's brains — if he has any; if not, it affects his legs.

It might be well for visitors to remember that a welcome soon wears out.

In the dance of life the piper gets up the entertainment for his own benefit.

If life hands you a lemon be glad it was not a hard-boiled egg without salt.

MR. SIMMONS MAKES FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT FOR SO. LICITOR

We carry today the announcement of Hon. C. W. Simmons, of Enterprise, for Solicitor of the twelfth circuit which is composed of the counties of Coffee, Covington, and Pike. Mr. Simmons has been a resident of the county for a number of years and has been one of the leading practitioners. He is a lawyer of ability and has displayed much tact as a prosecuting attorney.

Mr. Simmons is the first man from Coffee county who has sought this place in several years. The place has always been filled by men from other counties of the circuit. His friends throughout the county feel that he will be hard to beat for the place.

An express shipment of men's, ladies' boy's and children's sun hats just received.

Vaughn & Kendrick.

NOTICE

LOST—One crank for Chevrolet car, somewhere between John Ward's Shop and my house. Finder will please return to me and receive reward.

J. C. DAVIS, Elba, Ala.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

State of Alabama, Coffee County. In the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division.

Whereas, J. C. Ellis as plaintiff, in a suit in said Court against the Coloredcraft Company, a Corporation, as defendant, has obtained a writ of attachment out of said Court on the 9th day of March, 1922, against the said Coloredcraft Company, which writ has been executed by summoning J. P. Rawls to appear at the next term of the Circuit Court of Coffee County, at Enterprise, and answer on oath, whether he is indebted to the said Coloredcraft Company, or whether he is liable to it on a contract for the payment of money; and whereas it appears that the said Coloredcraft Company, defendant, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that its place of residence and Post Office address is Cleveland, Ohio.

Now, therefore, the said Coloredcraft Company is hereby notified of the pendency of said attachment and of the execution of said writ, and a copy of the newspaper shall be sent by mail to the said defendant.

Witness my hand this 9th day of March, 1922.

S. H. BROCK, Clerk.

16-23-30

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

State of Alabama, Coffee County. In the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama, at Enterprise.

J. S. Finney, vs.

The Premier Refining Co.

Whereas, J. S. Finney, as plaintiff, in a suit in said Court against The Premier Refining Company, as defendant, has obtained a writ of attachment, out of said Court on the 10th day of March, 1922, against the said The Premier Refining Company, which said writ has been executed by summoning Boutwell Brothers, Elba, Ala., and Dothan Auto Co., Dothan, Ala., and Kline's Garage, Enterprise, Ala., to appear at the next term of the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Ala., at Enterprise, and answer on oath, whether they are indebted to the said The Premier Refining Co., or whether they are liable to it on a contract for the payment of money; and whereas it appears that the said The Premier Refining Co., defendant, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and resides in the State of Ohio, and that its post office address is Cleveland, Ohio.

Now, therefore, the said The Premier Refining Company is hereby notified of the pendency of said attachment and of the execution of said writ, as required by law in such cases.

Witness my hand this 13th day of March, 1922.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

16-23-30

SCHOOL BOY FALLS OFF TRUCK; SEVERELY INJURED

Luther Bagington, aged 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bagington of near Elton, and who attends the Samson city school, fell off a rapidly moving truck while on the way home Thursday last and was rather severely injured. The accident occurred near the Methodist church, and the young man was unconscious for quite a while following the fall. His head was bruised up, in addition to sustaining internal injuries in the chest causing him to spit up blood for several days.

He is now reported to be rapidly improving. — Samson Ledger.

MR. TALBOT ENTERS SHERIFF'S RACE THIS WEEK

Mr. Chas. R. Talbot, former postmaster and well known throughout the county, makes his formal announcement today for sheriff of Coffee County, subject to the democratic primary in August.

Mr. Talbot is too well known to the people of the county to need an introduction from the Clipper. For the past several years, he has been in places of public trust and has always been found to be a very courteous and accommodating official. If he will be favored with nomination for sheriff we feel sure he would make a splendid officer. His friends throughout the county will be interested to learn of his candidacy.

Miss Elizabeth Smith, of Dothan, and Dicy Pender, of Greenwood, Fla., were the attractive guests of Miss Lucile Rainer for the week end.

Miss Sara Payne, who is teaching at Union Springs, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

Rev. Marvin Carroll, and family of Park, spent Sunday at Elba guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cotter.

Mrs. W. J. Cotter has gone to Ozark to spend a few days with relatives.

We have a complete line of dry goods. Our stock is being replenished from time to time and we can fill your wants in this line.

Vaughn & Kendrick.

Messrs. James English, Wallace Law, Jim Whitman and Maurice Law were visitors at Montgomery the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Rainer, Misses Lucile McDaniel and Zedie Rowe and J. M. Rowe were among those who attended the Cadman-Tianina concert given at Troy on Tuesday night.

Mr. Fontell Ham, of Jupiter, Fla., is spending a few days at Elba visiting relatives and greeting his many friends.

OVER ALABAMA

The Right Dope

Every farm in Blount County should have at least one brood sow on it. — Southern Democrat, Oneonta.

Great Expectations

Would vote against old Bill Brandon if we didn't believe he'd kick the Anti-Saloon League out of the State Capitol when he gets in. — Dothan Eagle.

Send Only Able Men

There seems to be a general disposition on the part of the public this year to send men to the Legislature that have made a success of their own business. In fact, business men are wanted in every line of endeavor, and especially in office, just at present. — Alexandre City Outlook.

Enforced Prosperity

About the only time that we can remember that the farmers of this section were real prosperous was the first few years following the arrival of the boll weevil in this section, when the cotton crop was an impossibility, and our farmers were forced to raising food-producing crops and livestock. — Sylacauga Advance.

A Pertinent Question

We want to be quite fair to the Alabama Power Company, but no one authorized to speak for that concern has yet answered the question as to why, with nearly a million horsepower possible on the Soosa, all burned and "seeded up" by that company, they have only developed about 100,000 horsepower and now demand Muscle Shoals to make more power. — Oneonta Daily News.

RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION TO THE ELBA CLIPPER